

VISITING GUESTS ASSIGNED DATES AT MASONIC FAIR

Maryland Night the 18th,
and Virginia Night
the 23d.

All the fraternal bodies in the District of Columbia, the District Commissioners, the governors of the States of North Carolina, Virginia, and Maryland, and the officers of the grand and constituent bodies of Masons in those States, the District militia and Grand Army of the Republic, and their ladies' auxiliaries, and the local national societies, have been formally invited to attend the coming Masonic fair, and the executive committee of the board of control yesterday set aside the dates on which they are to be entertained on Monday, April 15, and Saturday, April 27, the opening and closing days, have been left open, in accordance with the practice at previous fairs.

Following are the dates assigned to the invited guests:

April 15—District Commissioners; grand master, grand high priest, and grand commander, Knights Templar; sovereign grand commander and grand recorder, Scottish Rite; past imperial potentate of North America, and imperial potentate, Almas Temple, Mystic Shrine; senior past grand master, R. P. Donaldson; grand worthy matron and worthy patron, O. E. S.; president and vice president, Masonic Temple Association.

April 17—Blue Lodge night: Grand master and constituent blue lodges.

April 18—Maryland night: Governor and staff, grand master, grand high priest, grand commander, and other officers of grand bodies, and constituent bodies, and Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

April 22—Fraternal night: All local fraternal organizations.

April 23—Virginia night: Governor and staff, officers of grand bodies and constituent bodies, and Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

April 24—Shrine night: Almas Temple, and members of the order from Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Delaware.

April 25—Order of the Eastern Shrine night.

April 26—Local national societies.

PAPER ON EVIDENCE TO BE READ TONIGHT

Benjamin F. Harrah, law clerk in the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, will read a paper at the lecture hall of the Public Library tonight at 8 o'clock on "The Law of Evidence as Applied to Government Accounting." The address is one of a series given under the auspices of the Association of American Government Accountants.

MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCT EXPORTS \$250,000,000

Meats, dairy products, and food animals sent out of the United States last year aggregated over \$250,000,000 in value, according to a bulletin issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor. More than 60 per cent of this enormous total went to the United Kingdom. Even this large percentage, however, is less than that of a decade ago, when Great Britain took over 70 per cent of the products of this character passing out of the United States.

EAGLES WILL DANCE, INFORMALLY, APRIL 1

Washington Aerie, No. 125, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will give its fourth informal dance in the hall at Sixth and E streets northwest, on Monday night, April 1. Dancing will begin at 8:30 o'clock. Recording Secretary J. Donald Britt expects this to prove the most successful social affair in the history of the organization.

Murphy-Sullivan Fight, Baltimore, March 28.—Take Baltimore & Ohio, 6, 7, and 8 p. m. trains for Camden Station, two minutes' walk to the Opera House. Returning 11:10 and 11:32 p. m.

Horse Throws Driver Out, Then Summons Physician; Rings Doorbell for Aid

Remarkable Intelligence
Displayed by Washington Equine.

Servant Flees in Terror
When Answering Call
to Door.

J. H. Wurdeman, Jr., In-
jured by Being Thrown
From Buggy.

Stranger than fiction is the story of a big bay horse that threw J. H. Wurdeman, Jr., of 1114 Thirteenth street northwest, to the asphalt in front of Dr. H. Wells Woodward's office, 323 Massachusetts avenue northwest, and afterward rang the physician's door bell, summoning the latter to the aid of the injured driver about 6:30 o'clock last evening.

Mr. Wurdeman received a severe laceration of the scalp over the right eye. Strangely enough, Dr. Woodward is an eye, ear, and throat specialist. After receiving the necessary medical attention Mr. Wurdeman went to his home, 1114 Thirteenth street northwest, a block and a half from the physician's office.

Horse Becomes Unmanageable.
The horse was attached to a light buggy used by Mr. Wurdeman in connection with his father's business. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Wurdeman had business on Fourteenth street and used the horse and buggy. While returning to his home the horse became unmanageable near Fourteenth street and Massachusetts avenue. Rearing on its haunches the animal lunged forward and dashed east along the avenue at breakneck speed.

When it reached the alley half way between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets the frightened horse galloped up the sidewalk. Swirling around on the wheels on the right side the buggy crashed into an iron fence surrounding Dr. Woodward's lawn. Mr. Wurdeman was unseated and hurled a distance of twenty feet, striking his head on the fence. He fell to the sidewalk in a dazed condition, bleeding profusely from the ugly gash over his right eye. The suddenness with which the vehicle came to a standstill and the plunging of the horse caused the shafts to become disconnected from the body of the buggy.

Horse Summons Physician.
Unrestricted and untrammelled the horse stood for a moment by the prostrate driver and, as if possessed of human instincts, marched up the concrete walk leading to the porch on the east side of the physician's residence and then mounted the platform.

At the door of the physician's office there is an electric bell with a small push button. Over this was fastened a highly polished nickel-plated sign reading, "Patients enter without ringing." This evidently attracted the attention of the horse. Suffice to say the vigorous and continued ringing of the bell attracted a member of the side family to the door. Words could scarcely express the surprise of the woman when she opened the glass door and saw a horse standing as big as all-outdoors standing at the entrance of the office, rubbing his nose up and down on the nickel-plated sign. When the woman uttered a scream the horse took his nose from the sign, thrust his head into the vestibule and jerked quickly.

The physician went to the porch to back the animal to the street when he saw a crowd of persons around a fallen



HORSE SUMMONING AID TO HIS INJURED MASTER.

man whose face and clothing were covered with blood.

Mr. Wurdeman was taken into the physician's office, where his wound was washed and dressed by Dr. Woodward. Later he telephoned for his father, who took him to his home and had the horse sent to the stable. The buggy was practically demolished.

Dr. Woodward said: "It was one of the strangest things I have ever heard of. I was attending a patient in my office when I heard a thundering noise on the porch, and I remarked 'that sounds like a horse.' An instant later the bell began to ring continuously as if the person outside was in a big hurry. One of the servants in the house answered the ring. Her astonishment knew no bounds when she found the horse at the door. The animal poked his head almost into the office before I reached the door. When the horse was backed off the porch I saw there was an injured man outside on the

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AMISS COMMANDS NIGHT WATCHMEN

Changes Made in Reorgan-
ization of the Asso-
ciation.

Reorganization of the Special Night Watchmen's Association was provided for at a meeting of the board of directors recently at the headquarters of the association, 515 Ninth street northwest, which will be made operative tomorrow night.

Under the plan for reorganization, James Corcoran will retire from the position of president and general manager, to become vice president, making way for Capt. T. B. Amiss, one of the oldest and best-known members of the Metropolitan police force, retired last July.

Captain Amiss will have personal direction and supervision of the force of men who devote their time and energies as private guardians of life and property auxiliary to the police force.

Captain Amiss was for nineteen years lieutenant at No. 1 police precinct. A little more than two years ago he was promoted to be captain of police and was transferred to Police Headquarters and placed in charge of the night detectives. Last July, under the new retirement law he was retired on the age limit, with the pension attached to his rank.

He is sixty-five years old, but in the prime of physical vigor and by a lifetime of experience in the police service is in every way qualified to manage the important interests of which he has been placed at the head. He goes on duty tomorrow night.

NEWSBOY KILLS FRIEND IN ROW OVER MARBLES

CROWN POINT, Ind., March 25.—In a battle over a game of marbles, Freddie Weiss, eleven years old, struck and killed Eddie Kaiser, thirteen years old. The blow was struck with clenched hand, landed under the ear of the older boy, and broke the latter's neck, death being instantaneous. Both were newsboys.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Bulletin.

THE BEST TRAIN TO CHICAGO.

In the liberal train service between Washington and Chicago via the Pennsylvania Railroad there is one train that stands out prominently as providing particularly attractive service between the National Capital and the Great Lake Metropolis.

It is the "Chicago Limited."

This train of Parlor Smoking, Dining, and Observation cars carries through Pullman Drawing-Room Sleeping cars from Washington to Chicago. It leaves Washington daily at 5:45 P. M. and arrives in Chicago at 4:00 P. M. the next day, making the run in twenty-three hours and fifteen minutes.

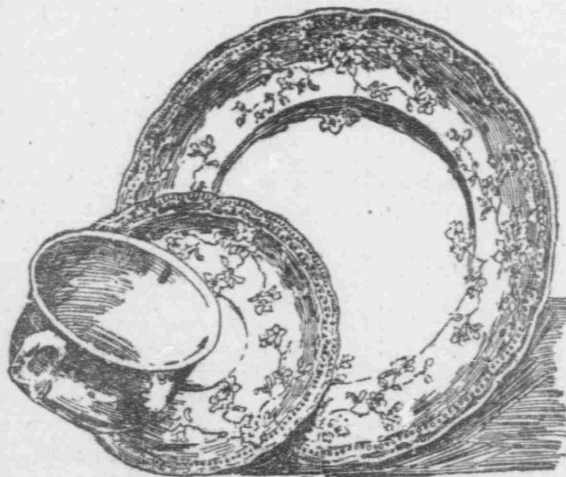
There is no extra fare on this train from Washington or Baltimore.

A similar train returning, the "Manhattan Limited," leaves Chicago daily at 11:00 A. M. and arrives Washington 10:42 A. M.

Other trains for Chicago leave Washington at 7:50 A. M., 12:01, 3:40, 7:40, and 10:40 P. M.

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BARN DESTROYED, LOSS OF \$10,000

Property of Colonel Bliss
Was Half a Mile From
Hydrant.

Fire of unknown origin yesterday afternoon completely destroyed a large barn and wagon shed on the Overlook Inn farm, about a mile east of Anacostia. The damage is estimated between \$7,500 and \$10,000.

Starting in the loft of the wagon shed among a quantity of empty barrels, the flames spread rapidly. Engine companies Nos. 5 and 15 responded. The firemen confined their efforts to saving the adjoining buildings and dwelling house.

The nearest hydrant was half a mile away, making it impossible to lay a pipe line, but chemical tanks were used to good advantage.

The property is owned by Col. Archibald M. Bliss.

Several alarms in different parts of the city kept the department busy yesterday. Fire did \$500 damage to the stable in the rear of 46 Keokuk street, Wesley Heights, owned by Mrs. Mary Gray.

Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in Washington for the week ending Saturday, March 23, averaged 7.20 cents per pound.

WANTED HUSBAND TO DIE WITH HER

Had Cancer, Grew De-
spondent, So She Shot
Him, Fatally.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 25.—Informed by two specialists that she had only three days to live, and fearing to die and leave her husband, Mrs. Charles Avery, of 1811 Superior avenue northwest, last night shot and fatally wounded her husband at their home. He is a salesman for the Thomas J. Lipton Tea Company, of New York. Mrs. Avery has been ill with a cancer for several years. Yesterday two specialists told her death was only a matter of a few days. She grew despondent and last night shot her husband when he came home. She said she wanted him to die with her.

MARRIED AT FIFTEEN, DIVORCED AT SEVENTEEN

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 25.—To be married at fifteen years of age and divorced at seventeen was the experience of Mary Piscano, of Pittston, who was granted a divorce from her husband, Charles Piscano, for cruelty and desertion.

Easter Flowers Should Be Ordered early. Finest varieties at Shaffer's, 14th & I.

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Women's suits
\$15.00

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Women's suits
\$17.75

A SPECIAL suit we offer for tomorrow at this price is of the celebrated "Saxonia Worsteds," in gray and tan effects; the coat is a new modified Pony effect, lined throughout with good satin; coat is effectively trimmed with self straps applied diagonally; new fitted skirt. We also offer the same model in plain chiffon Panamas at the same price, actual \$25 values.

Women's tailored suits at \$19.75

We show at this price a dozen different models, in the newest Eton, Pony, and Half-fitted effects. The materials are nobby worsteds, in neat checks and fine Panamas, in black, navy, and brown. One of the newest models is made of fine quality chiffon Panama; Eton coat, handsomely braided; new model skirt. We consider these suits by far the greatest values we have ever offered for so little.

Women's tailored suits at \$24.75

OUR line of Suits at this price is decidedly out of the ordinary. Prettier Suits never were shown for so little money. This week we are showing several new arrivals, including some nobby effects in Pony, Eton, and new Half-fitted Mannish effects, so popular this season. The materials are nobby worsteds, in checks and stripes; fine chiffon Panamas, in every desirable color. One of the notable special values is a silk-lined Volee Suit, made of fine French Volee, in black and navy only; handsomely braided and trimmed, and finished over lining and drop of fine taffeta. This Suit cannot be duplicated elsewhere for less than \$40.00.

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